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Defendant(s).

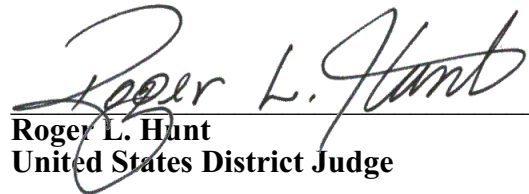
(Motion for Partial Dismissal—#11)

Furthermore, Local Rule 7-2(d) provides that failure to file points and authorities in opposition to a motion constitutes a consent that the motion be granted. *Abbott v. United Venture Capitol, Inc.* 718 F.Supp. 828, 831 (D. Nev. 1989). It has been said these local rules, no less than the federal rules or acts of Congress, have the force of law. *United States v. Hvass*, 355 U.S. 570, 574-575 (1958); *Weil v. Neary*, 278 U.S. 160, 169 (1929); *Marshall v. Gates*, 44 F.3d 722, 723 (9<sup>th</sup> Cir. 1995). The United States Supreme Court itself has upheld the dismissal of a matter for failure to

1 respond under the local court rules. *Black Unity League of Kentucky v. Miller*, 394 U.S. 100, 89 S.  
2 Ct. 766 (1969).

3 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Defendant's Partial Motion to Dismiss (#11) is  
4 GRANTED and Plaintiff's claim for negligent supervision is dismissed.

5 Dated: October 26, 2011.

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8 **Roger L. Hunt**  
9 **United States District Judge**  
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